

## Aftercare

- First, remove bandage after 2-4 hours. You won't need another bandage, do not re-cover.
- Then wash tattoo with Liquid Dial Anti-Bacterial Soap or any gentle soap allowing it to air dry.
- From then on, wash twice daily for 4 weeks. Particularly after being active.
- Lastly, along with your washing regimen, and no sooner than after the first 2 days of receiving the tattoo, apply a very thin layer of Palmer's Cocoa Butter or The Merry Hempster's Lotion 3 times daily until fully healed (4 weeks).
- Tattoo will begin to dry up flake and peel within the next 7-10 days from getting the tattoo.
- Keep in mind that high activity and sweating during the first week can result in damage to a fresh tattoo requiring touch up work, so hold off on heavy physical exercise for at least 4 days.

## Free Touch Up Eligibility

- No pools, spas, ocean, saunas, soaking for first 12 days
  - No use of any alternative aftercare products without consent of the artist
  - Do not pick or peel at any scabs... \*remember to slap not scratch if it is itchy
  - Must be within one year of receiving the tattoo
- Tattoos go through lots of changes during the healing process, it is normal for flaking of color/discoloration/milky haziness even by the third week. If you experience extreme burning for days, bumps in or around the tattoo, trenches, lasting redness, or just aren't sure contact your artist. Do not rely on the options of others for aftercare.

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